# BULLETIN NEWS LETTERS FROM ITS BROADENING FIELD

# LETTERS FROM TOWNS IN TWO STATES

The Business and Social Life of Every Town and Settlement Reflected in These Columns.

## NEW LONDON COUNTY.

#### LEBANON.

Miss Bertha Perry Critically III-Seventeenth Anniversary of O. U. A. M. Celebrated.

E. R. Congdon of Hartford theolog-

E. R. Congdon of Hartford theological seminary preached morning and evening in the First Congregational church last Sunday.

Raiph Royall of New York, accompanied by his law partner, Mr. Stephens, and two friends from Brooklyn. Assistant District Attorney Eider and his wife, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Royall over Sunday.

Mins Bertha Perry, grandadughter of the late Mrs. Annie Smith of this place, is critically ill in Baltimore, Md., where she has been visiting her niece, Mrs. Leon Sweet.

Mrs. Leon Sweet.

The winter term of the public schools in this town closed Friday for a vacation of two weeks, the spring term opening April 5.

O. U. A. M. Anniversary Celebrated. The Order of United American Mechanics held a public meeting in Grange hall last Wednesday evening The principal address was given by Thomas F. Gilmore of New Haven, the occasion being the 17th anniversary of the founding of the order in this place. A large audience listened atplace. A large audience listened attentively and appreciatingly to the address of Mr. Gilmore. Mrs. W. L. L. Spencer presided at the plano. Ernest Church sang two solos, Otto L. Pultz gave a reading and the church choir sang "America, in which the assemblage joined. At the close of the exercises cake and ice cream were served.

Personal Mention,

John Abell of New Britain was with is parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Abell, st Sunday. Miss Ellen B. Huntington returned

this week from visiting friends in Mrs. Katherine Sweet has returned assemble in the auditorium of the from Stafford Springs where she has been visiting her parents and friends. Miss Edna Peck of Franklin has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Otto L. D., of the state convention board. Mrs. Katherine Sweet has returned

Other Local Items.

Gilbert Williams, who has been ill with grip is able to be out.

Miss Elsie Geer, who has been a sufferer from felon on her left hand Miss Elsie Geer, who has been a sufferer from felon on her left hand was in her place at the organ in the first Congregational church on Sun-

Ernest Church is home from Mt. Herman school for the Easter vacu-

in the employ of a harvester company in Boston for the past three years, has ressigned to enter the offices of the Hewes & Potter company as as-sistant advertising agent and cales School Visitors Make Final Visits.

The school visitors have been busy with the schools, making the final vis-its for the winter term. The schools have closed for the

Description of the solution of so W. C. Blanchard's house.

Mrs. J. P. Abel has returned from a list.

erip to New York.
The Woman's Mission Circle met on

## ASHWILLETT.

Grover C. Maine Will Superintend Commendable Progress.

Grover C. Maine will superintend the farming interests of Mrs. Mary A. Mrs. Mary Siste of Black Hall vistory at Swantown the coming year. Cyrus Fietches, who has managed the week.

Mrs. W. W. Billings and two con-ference and Gilbert, were in North Stonington Saturday the guests of Miss Mattle M. Miner. Mess Miner taught The Ashwillert school last year very

Leonard Maine of the town board of Monday. ucation visited the Ashwillett school officially Friday. Mr. Maine was acomcially Friday, Mr. Maine was ac-companied by his son, Alisson Maine, and Miss Olga Thompson. They found the sacool making commendable pro-gress under the supervision of Miss Eleanor Holmes of New London. It is hoped the services of Miss Holmes can ean or Holmes of New London. It is ped the services of Miss Holmes can obtained for the balance of the hool year.

Miss Eliza Eldridge called on local

Hiscox was injured quite bad-Friday by a kick from one of his

hise at Clarkville, near Westerly, this soring. His many friends wish him success in his new enterprise. George B. Shelden of the U. S. S.

ouletana was a caller in the place W. M. Bendett of Mystic was in the place on business Tuesday and Wed-mesday.

The late E. P. Couch had a wide ac-unintance locally and his death is re-

## PENDLETON HILL.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Wheeler Celebrated Twelfth Anniversary of Marringe-Personal Notes,

brated the twelfth anniversary of their marriage Monday. A few neighbors and friends were present, Irving Thompson spent last Monday yvening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Adams.

Mrs. James Cooke, has gone to outh Carolina. Miss Carrie Ryder passed Saturday Sunday at her home here swis Osborns of Mystic is visiting

Lattle Arthur Ahern is visiting his grandparents.
William Avery was a caller in this

place last Monday.

John Geer, William Malpe and Thos.

Maine captured several young foxes
last Tuesday. Mies Rilla Chapman returned last

Funday from her aunt's, Mrs. His-Miss Cynthia Watson was in West-erly on Wednesday. Eugene Wheeler was a caller at his brother's last Monday evening.

was held from the South Windham Kongregational church on Friday, Rev. Mr. Brockett moved his steam saw Mr. Brotkett moved his steam saw mill to the to the Hinckley woodlot assisted by Rev. H. A. Beadle of this week.

Franklin and Rev. Harry Grimes of Windham, and Rev. Lily Engstrom of New London. The inter offered prayer at her late residence on Prospect Hill, this team. town. There were many flowers in her many friends and neighbors, ial was in the Windham cemetery.

Burial was in the Windham cemetery.
H. N. Fenn, undertaker, from Willimanite, and charge.
Mrs. Frank A. Rockwood was in Hartford on Wednesday with her husband. Representative F. A. Rockwood.
William A. Bailey was a Willimanitic visitor on Wednesday.
Mr. and Mrs. Louis H. Smith have returned after spending a few days in Boston attending the 25th anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Fred H. Green's marriage.

#### OLD MYSTIC.

United Workers Meet with Mrs. Chapman-Roll Call to be Held at Baptist Church-Evangelist Coming in

The United Workers of the Methorist Episcopal church met Wednesday from 2 to 430 p. m. with Mrs. F. Alon-zo Chapman in Main street.

Miss Fannie Welles of Lake villa is slowly recovering from a severe cold. William Clark is very sick with a grip attack.

Mrs. Prentice of Quonocontaug Hill and her sister-in-law of Main street, village, were Mystic callers Tuesday

afternoon.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Baptist church met Wednesday evening with Mrs. William A. Burows. There is only a slight improvement in the condition of Benjamin F. Crumb, who was taken suddenly and seriously

ercises cake and ice cream were served.

Brnest Church returned to Northfield last Thursday after spending a Wednesday of Mrs. William Beckwith and daughter, Miss Mattle Haven Beckwith of Smith street.

Preparing for Roll Call. The Baptist church is preparing for a roll call to be held Tuesday, March 50, at the church. Light refreshments will be served in the church parlors from 5 to 6 p. m. after which all will

D. of the state convention board.

W. C. T. U. Meeting.

The Woman's Christian Temperance union met Friday at 2.30 p. m., at the residence of Mrs. Jane H. Dean in South Main street.

Master John Williams Shank, who

Master John Williams Shans, who has been seriously ill for the past two weeks, is slightly improving.

Mrs. William E. Pendleton of New London was the guest Wednesday of her aunt and cousin. Mrs. Catherine P. Chipman and Miss Lillian P. Chipman of Brushwood.

Mohiwk spent Tuesday at his cottage on Orchard street.

Joseph C. Burnham of High street was a New London vistor Tuesday.

Mr and Mrs. F. A. Aston were visitore in the grove Sunday.

The claim diggers invaded the shores in full force Tuesday.

Rev. C. K. Flanders Coming. Rev. C. K. Franders, the singing syangelist, will hold revival services with the Baptist church for two weeks, segining Sunday, April 18. Montrose Olmstead's Joseph class in expression will meet Frida; evening at 7.30 in the Baptist confer-

harles Waterhowel will move his ke

ter of New London visited Mrs. Thos. and family will probably move to Nor-Littlefield Saturday. Received Handsome Presents. Miss Ruth Champion entertained a

Farm—School Found to Be Making tenth birthday. She received numer ous presents, among them being a handsome ring from her father, John

farm for the past two years, has moved to the Thatcher Brown place, moved to the Thatcher Brown place, Mrs. David Champion, Jr., visited Mrs. W. W. Billings and two chilber granddaughter in Lyme on Sun-

Albert Miller visited relatives here

Mrs. Pierce Littlefield of Little Bos-ton visited her abster-h-law, Mrs. Julia Littlefield, in Lyme has week. Miss Netile Wiggins has returned home after a visit with her sister, Mrs. John McDonald.

Miss Eliza Eloridge called on local friends Tuesday. E. Downer of Ivoryton visited Mrs. Belle Scoville Tuesday Mrs. J. W. Roath and Mise Nora Stanton were in New London Tues-

Miss Lydia Harrey held services at the Valon chapel Tuesday.

## LISBON.

Miss Alice E. Kennedy Confined to Her Home by Illiness-Notes.

Miss Alice E. Kennedy is very ill at John Hoelek of Norwich is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Hoelck, Miss Annie Hoelck, who has been sick has returned to work in Taft-

he Verssilles mill.

John Garlington moved his family
o New London Monday.

Hermon Leonard hald a big dance Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Wheeler cels-Friday night. It was a great success Sandwiches, cake, coffse, and crackers were served.

digging a well in Versailes.
C. A. Mell has sold a valuable cow to Thomas Talbott. J. B. Palmer is hattling logs to the

## GOSHEN.

Spring Birds Unusually Early-Saw-

The Ladies' Missionary society me with Mrs. Marcos Burr Saturday aft-Pive handsome deer were one day cently seen on a field of rye at Oak-

and farm. Miss Annie Gillette is spending a few days with friends out of town.
The large number of spring birds seen and heard that usually arrive

Funeral of Mrs. John Engstrom—
Notes of Interest.

The funeral of Mrs. John Engstrom was held from the South Windham Wednesday evening.

William S. Geer and Mrs. William Buckley of Norwich were callers here

in town this week and bought several cows of Messrs, Coates, Maine and

NIANTIC.

Young People Rehearsing a Play—Norwich Guest at Wedding After Fifty Years.

A drama entilled, "Aunt Jerusha's Quilting Party," is being rehearsed under the auspices of the Baptist Young People's unton. The cast of characters are: Mrs. Nettle Coneter, Mrs. Blanche Manwaring, Mrs. Medie Luce, Mrs. Lizie Russell, Mrs. Hattie Darrow, Mrs. Gonce Rook, Miss Frankle Luce, Miss Lilla Beebe, Miss Grace Comstock, Miss Nellie Crocker, Mrs. Grace Horton, Miss Louise Smith, Miss Moille Brooks, Frederick A. Beekwith, John F. Luce, Charles J. Manwaring and Charles Munger.

Among the Niantic people visiting New London this week were: Judge A. O. Bush, George B. Dickinson, W. E. Smith, George M. Barrett, E. N. Bockwith, Lincoln G. Luce, John W. Corsiley, D. C. Thompson, Mrs. J. P. Clark, Mrs. P. H. Dart, Mrs. A. R. De-Wolf, Miss Laura Eager, Miss Mary Gates, Mrs. T. J. Hill, Miss Hattle Smith, Mrs. Eunice Gates, Rev. J. W. Knappenberger, Charles J. Luce, C. N. Loomis.

Guest at Golden Wedding.

Ilis I. Browning.

The Decem club held a meeting at its rooms Wednesday evening, at which the following officers were chosen, in almost every instance a re-election: President, George N. Wood; vice presi

Guest at Golden Wedding.

Grave Sunday.

The Pine Grove Whist club will meet this (Saturday) evening at the

## LEDYARD.

About \$2,000 Realized at the Hewitt Auction-New Members Join Conpregational Church-Norwich Man to Go Into Pickling Business.

Charles W. Hewitt on the Isauc W. the Montville Center Congregational Geer farm held his auction on Thurs-day of last week instead of on Wedhorn of Raymond N. Parish Friday needs on the Price of Raymond N. Parish Friday day of last week instead of on wear nesday, owing to bad weather. This was the largest auction held in this town in years. Two auctioneers were kept busy all day. Nearly all the househit high prices. One Dordel home Tuesday. family to the house formerly known things brought high prices. One Dor-led home as the Charles Chadwick place, April set sheep soid for \$15.25. Hr. Hewitt ist. Mr. and Mrs. S. Chapell and daugh- amounted to over \$2,000 Mr. Hewitt

> Mrs. Ellen Stoddard of Gales Ferry staying with Mrs. Issue G. Geer Seven Join Congregational Church. Six united with the Congregational

White became pastor. To Go Into Pickling Business.

Charles Geer and family of Norwick Mr. Geer intends to go into the pick-

parsonage on Wednesday atternoon, Miss Luiu Seizer has been engaged by Mrs. Leonard Church of Norwich. She will commence her duties on Mon-

The young ladies and young men's after parsonage. Only routine mainess joyed.

Chiefly Personal. John Brown, a former resident of

this place, was calling on local friends H. H. Main, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bennett of Preston are spending part of their boneymoon in town. Harry Marshall of Providence is

spending his vacation with his aunt, Mrs. Enos M. Gray, Joseph A. Gallup is visiting friends in Franklin.

## WEDDING.

Holdridge-Holdridge.

Nelson Holdridge of Ledyard, son Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Holdridge, Miss Annie Hoelck, who has been like has returned to work in Tatt-like has returned to work in Tatt-like Wiss Lizzie Bradiaw is employed in the Verssilles mill.

John Garlington waved his family bride and groom were present. Mrs. London, Monday. New London Monday.

Hermon Leonard hald a big dance riday night. It was a great success andwiches, cake, coffse, and crackers ere served.

Willard Collins of Central Village is gave Mr. and Mrs. Holdridge a variety sping a well in Versalles. J. B. Palmer is haviling logs to the metalling silver, glass, pictures tin and woodenware clocks and linen. Sand-wiches, cake and coffee were served.

## YAWBUX VALLEY.

Notes of Personal Interest.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Chapman and children more the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Eliwin Thompson Sunday.

S. Curtis Egglestone of South Lyme was a recent business caller here. Charles J. Newton of Cromwell has been the guest of his sister, Mrz. C. S. Maine, the past week. It is reported that George R. Stedman will not occupy the Eggiestone farm another year

from a recent visit with relatives at Franklin.

It is reported that Harry Hoins of Baltic will come home and assist his Kuchn were recent callers at G. D. father about farming this spring.

#### UNCASVILLE.

Majority of Decem Club's Officers Re eclected-Social on St. Patrick's Night-Church News-Death of Willis I. Browning.

The members of the graduating class of the 10th district have received their class pins. The pins are of gold and blue, the class colors, and are pretty in design, bearing the litters U. G. S. and the date '99.

Mrs. Harriett, Branch, has returned

Guest at Golden Wedding.

Francis E. Beckwith of Norwich was no the village Monday attending the elebration of the 50th anniversary of he wedding af Captain and Mrs. John V. Line. Mr Beckwith is a constn of the West Mrs. Beckwith it is a constn of the West Mrs

usual sermon by the pastor, Rev. S. F. Maine, the foreign mission committee conducted the services, giving an account of the work done.

Miss Lucy Allen, Mrs. Louis G. Newton and Mrs. Ralph H. Melcer composed the committee.

Harris Barber, a theological student from Newton, Mass., occupied the pulpit in the Union Baptist church Sunday morning. Mr. Barber was entertained at the home of Mrs. Latimer.

The Missionary society of the Union Baptist church met at the home of Mrs. J. S. Latimer Thursday afternoon, when the mite boxes of the society

when the mite boxes of the society were opened.

The Christian Endeavor society of

This evening.
this Mrs. Douglass, who has been spend-

## Winners at Whist.

The Whist club held its last meeting of the season Monday night in Hickey's hall. As each member had the privilege of inviting two friends, there was a large number present. Sine tables were played after which refreshments were served, and danc-ing finished the evening's pleasure. Miss Chapman was plants: The first prizes were won by Everett Chapman and Miss Mildred Chapman

## St. Patrick's Night Social.

American council, O. U. A. M., gave c. H. Chapman, George F. Dean, Mrs. a social and dance on St. Patrick's Eugene Lainutaine, E. Colver, night in Robertson's hall, Palmentown. Thomas Latham reving huributh Mrs. Miss Mar Champion of New Britain
Miss Mar Champion of New Britain
Albert J. Pox of Oakdale is improved delegate to Walliagate cause of

Thames lodge, I. O. O. F., held a ecting Tuesday night and worked the erail committees of the church were after which a social session was en-

Willis I. Browning's Death. Wills thase Browning, whose death the occurred Tuesday, was the son of Dr. quar Island Browning and Patty B. Howe. Isinc Browning and Patty B. Howe, was born April 20, 1852, and married to Miss Emma Daniels, daughter of Lyman Daniels, Mr. Browning had been in ill health for several years. Browning, whose sudden death shock-

## CAMPBELL'S MILLS.

C. H. Burber has been in Plainfield the past two weeks.

Mrs. William Jarvis, who has been ill for the past three weeks, is slowly improving. A Mrs. Stanton is caring

dren are on the sick list
Jared Gallup, who has been unwell
for the past month, is improving.
Mrs. William J. James and Mrs.
Luther S. Turner are both sick.
Charles Tanner has so far recovered
from his late illness as to be in Willard Gardner is confined to the

## LEFFINGWELL.

Pardon B. Sanders has sold bis tim-

ber lot to C. H. Tilingbast.

The Sunshine Band meets today with The Mission Study class was held at he parsonage Tuesday afternoon. of the Methodist Episcopal cauren was Fred Palmer of Norwich was the be taken next Sunday at the morning guest of local friends Wednesday.

James LaFfam spent Sunday at his home in Montville.

Miss Edith Leffingwell, student of the Willmantic normal school, was at her home in this place over Sunday.

Elmer Drake, who has been driving he mail for Henry Jones of Jewett City, will go home and help his fa-Mrs. Huntington is still at the hos-

Rev. Mr. Ross has two more Sun-days before conference at the Bethel church Charles Drake moved to Preston or

# GEN. HAVEN FOR DEPARTMENT COMMANDER.

Perkins Post, G. A. R., of New London, Puts him Forward-New Commercial and Business Spirit Needed-An Issue Between Critics-New Londoners Too Slow for Fast Cars.

A couple of weeks ago reference was made in this correspondence of the brutality exercised by some drivers of the statement of facts occasioned favorable comment as well as solverse criticism. It was stated that when horses were going at top speed when horses were going at top speed and doing their very best some drivers, not all, used the whip freely in a useless endeavor to urge the horses to run beyond their limit, and that this action was brutal, inhuman and should not be permitted.

After two weeks of silence Chief Engineer Stanners runshes into print with the declaration that the critic, meaning poor me, must have been looks ing through smooked glasses, whatever that may mean in this matter, and that he (the chief) hal, never seen anything that resembled brutality on the part of drivers. If the chief really means what he says be must have been looking through smooked glasses, whatever that may mean in the matter, and that the critic, meaning poor me, must have been look ing through smooked glasses, whatever that may mean in this matter, and that he (the chief) hal, never seen anything that resembled brutality on the part of drivers. If the chief really means what he cannot be foretold. It was clearly shown to the committee on the delegates to the encampment to the wishes of the greater number of their comrades.

General Haven was a candidate for department commander at the last encampment, but was defeated by a small margin through the staff of the present department by a veteran who once upon a time was an endeavour to repeat the margin through small margin through small margin through small margin through small

that resembled brutality on the part of drivers. If the chief really means what he says, he must have been looking through glasses that were not smoked, for he evidently could not see, as instances of the kind referred to have been within his observation.

But it is not the object to criticise the work of the Norwich firemen at the Shannon fire, but rather to defend the New London department from accusations in a printed article in which the name and statements of Chief Stanners are given prominence. "Looking through emoked glasses eh?"

Wonde, if that cold bilgzard night of Luke McDonald has resigned with the Uncasville Manufacturing company winter before last, when there were three fires in-New London, escaped the Charles J. Luce and was present at the wedding fifty years ago. There are no business. Today (Saturday) he is at Mt. Carmel, Pa

Various Items.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward G. Phyall and son, William G. Phyall, have been and business the their cottage is pline Grove.

Saloon a Wagon.

The case of local friends.

In Hickey's intl. Friday evening there was call to fiven. Saloon a Wagon.

The case of Antonio Garwych of New London was brought before Justine in the boat was saved. Then came call for five no undid in State street, with fire from through the town which is driven by tage in Pine Grove. Mrs. Barrett is on a business-trip to New Haven.

Capt. N. W. Rogers and R. L. Mannander of the Cheemann Boat club, were visitors in Pine Grove Sunday.

The Case of Rogers and several bottles of Ilquor were found. At the irial Friday Garwych was fined \$25 and costs, anounting to he word, and the total his was not strong the town.

The Pine Grove Whist club will meet this (Saturday) evening a well as the members of the Sunday.

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The Case of Antonio Garwych of New London was brought before Justice of Antonio Garwych sends a team through the town which is driven by Max Boyer, and several days ago, upon the confined to the building and confined to here bed.

Dr. E. Stone left Tuesday evening on a business-trip to New Haven.

Capt. N. W. Rogers and R. L. Mannand and the confined to the building in a new foundation to the putting in a new foundation to the found. At the trial Friday Garwych was fined \$25 and costs, anounting to \$2,000 per putting fine a new foundation to the foundation to Wonde: if that cold bilzzard night of winter before last, when there were three fires in New London, escaped the

found. At the trial Friday Garwych was fined \$25 and costs, anounting to \$35, for selling liquor illegally in the town.

At the Methodist Episcopal church the members of the Sunday school have begun making preparations for a concert for Easter.

Joined Methodist Church.

At the Methodist Church.

At the Methodist Church Sunday Mrs. Charles T. Bartlett and daughter. Miss Vera Bartlett, were given the right hand of fellowship. In place of the usual sermon by the pastor, Rev. S. F. Maine, the foreign mission committee conducted the services, giving an acand now he has prepared for the coming of Josef Lhevinne.

Although concerts, no matter how
high the grade, are not properly appreciated, still some of the best known
musical talen, has made appearance in
New London. It is noticeable, how-

After considerable agitation on the part of people and press the trolley company was induced to substitute a fifteen minute schedule for a twenty minute schedule. In order to do this

GALES FERRY.

on St. Patrick's Day-Meeting

Missionary Society.

Copp of New London were among the

ever that in recent rears there is im-provement in this respect and the real-ly meritorious receive proper recogni-tion. Mr. Brown is entitled to credit

with their doublter, Mrs. E. A. James at Allyns Point, have returned to their home on the Ledyard Center road, Mrs. Frederick Turner of Long Cove The fourth quarterly conference of the Gales Ferry Methodist Epis opal church was held at the vestry of the church Monday evening, with Dis-trist Supt, John H. Newland of Norho has been visiting her sister, Holyoke Mass.

Waubregan were at their summer bome on the Bluff, Saturday and Sunof the meeting, and Thomas Latham

was appointed us trier of appeals.

The usual reports were given and ordered on revord.

The following stewards were elected iting his mother Mrs. Alo so Turner.

Mrs. Frederick Richards returned impression personally home Thursday afternoon from a short visit with relatives in the village. or the ensuing year: D. C. Perkins, H. Chapman, George F. Dean, Mrs.

Repairs at Yale Quarters. Masons have been engaged this week in training down and retopping the chimneys at the Yale freshman quarters. urtland Colver, who has been at State Line for several weeks, superin-tending the cutting and storing of ice

was at his some at the Navy Yard over Weshesday night. St. Patrick's Day Entertainment. The young people of the village cel-ebrated St. Patrick's day with an entertainment at the church vestry on Wednesday evening. The andience room was decorated with greens and the refreshments served at the close of the programme were also in keep-ing with the color plan of the eve-ning's entertainment. The girls who

took part in the drill wore Jackets and caps of green. The programme of vocal and instrumental music with read-James Congdon and two of his chil-ings is given: Piano solo, Merry Lads and Lassies Mrs. Eugene LaFontaine; reading, Miss Amy Satteriee; solo, Dermot Asthore Miss Jennie Perkins; drill. five girls; solo, Kathleen Mavourn-cen, Miss Grace Chapman; reading Miss Laura Perkins; song, Wearing of the Green, three girls; selection, Kin

dersinfonie orchestra; vocal solo E. Harlan Newbury Improving. Harlan Newbury, who is steadily improving from a serious lilness, was

able to walk over to the village for the first time, Wednesday. To Take Final Collections. The remainder of the benevolent coljections as appointed by the discipline of the Methodist Episcopal church will

Missionary Society Meets. The members of the local auxiliary of the Woman's Home Missionary society were entertained by Mrs. John ciety were entertained by Mrs. John Thompson at the parsonage Tuesday afternoon. Readings on missionary topics were given by the president, Mrs. Thomas Latham, Miss Sarah Latimer and Miss Laura Perkins. An Interesting paper on The Louisiana Purchase the Oregon Trail and the Story of the Quest of the Mormons, which ended in Utah, was given by Miss Kate B. Colver. At the close of the literary programme refreshments were served and a social hour enjoyed.

Church-Delightful Entertainment have No. and Mrs. Robert R. Wilde of

> day. Mrs. Emma Bennett returned Wednesday night from a virit with relaces in Norwich. Charles Turner of Hartford is vis-

## VOLUNTOWN.

Court Liberty Holds Quarterly Meeting-Sutton Family Grievously Af-

At the quarterly meeting of Court Liberty, No. 122, F. of A., Monday eve-ning, there was a good attendance to witness the initiation of Frederick G. titness the initiation of Frederick G.
Dawley by the Court Degree team, which is being kept quite busy recentity. The report of the committee on social and whist recently held was read and accepted and a good sum was turned over to the treasurer as a result. Junior Woodward Frank A.
Tesuit. Junior Woodward Frank A.
Thister who is about toblesve town. resigned and J. Edward Magnite of the same place next Tuesday McDonaid was elected a delegate to the convention to be held in Danbury in May, and Charles E. Maine was in May, and Charles E. Maine was in the community. in May, and Charles E. Maine was chosen alternate. Committees were appointed to plan entertainments for the coming season; also to prenare

for the coming tenth anniversary. News in General. Charles E. Wright of Phenix, R. L. was a visitor to town on Saturday. George B. Sheldon of the buttleship Louisiana returned to his duties on Tuesday after spending a fourteen days' furlough at the home of his fa-

Joseph Baton and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Bebo are spending the week at the home of Mr. Bebo's parents at Frank A. Shippee will leave on Monday for Stonington, where he has se-

#### cured employment. A Trapic Death. Much sympathy is expressed for the family of Mrs. Charles Button, who was burned to death at her home

mourn her loss.

The Rev. J. V. E. Belanger preached the Lenten sermon in Taftville on Tuesday evening.

Lenten devotions will be held in St. Thomas' church at 7.30 this (Satur-

here on Tuesday evening. Her hus-band and two children are left to

#### LAUREL GLEN. Burial of Beriah Kenyon-Seven Young

Foxes Dug Out. Mrs. Attaway Maine and Mrs. James Maine visited recently with Miss Susan J. Maine at No. 70 Beach street, West-

The body of Berlah Kenyon brought here Wednesday and buried in the family buying place near his old home Mr. Kenyon was a lifelong resi-dent of this place. During the latter part of his life his mind falled, which

General Haven was a candidate for department commander at the last encampment, but was defeated by a small margin through the action of some delegates who opposed him by reason of petty jealousy founded on personal spite and evidently on promise of future reward.

New London is represented on the staff of the present department by a veteran who once upon a time was an intimate friend of General Haven, but because the general did not consider this staff officer the best candidate for colonel of the Third regiment, C. N. G. many years ago, he became the general's most bitter opponent. This staff officer has a good military record, a wide acquaintance, and more or less influence with the veterans who do not understand the lovel situation. The Grand, Army men of the state could do no better work at the next encampment thap to elect Gen. George Haven

ment than to elect Gen. George Haven of New /London as department com-mander and would be giving the gen-eral a deserved honor. What New London has needed for many years is the infusion of new life into its commercial and business affairs, and that life comes with the new blood that has been circulated in the municipal body, when such men of affairs as Alexander J. Campbell comes to town. The Campbells are coming, was the refrain that caused rejoicing, but the arrival means much more Mr. portance than the bridge twenty or more miles distant and the only direct local interest is the possible patronage of automobile parties. The acceptance of the railroad bridge by the state would be of far more benefit to New London and Groton and other places in this section than the proposed Connecticut river bridge, and it is reasonable to suppose, therefore, that the New London Business Men's association will be unusually active in this important matter.

In the long, long ago, before George T. Brown, secretary of the Brown Cotstant of his company but also took the lead in stances public appreciation of his ef-

In the long, long ago, before George
T. Brown, secretary of the Brown Cotton Gin company and an accomplished musician, was bern, his grandfather, the late Isrnel F. Brown, was instrumental in giving the people of New London opportunity to see and hear Blind Tom, the wonderful pianist, before the musical prodigy was heard in the larger cities. With like desire to give his fellow townsmen opportunity to hear the hest there was in music, the grandson has already presented to long the leadership of Mr. Campbell with the grandson has already presented to long the leadership of Mr. Campbell is also serving his third term as vice president of the Board so by the push and visor of the leadership of Mr. Campbell is also serving his third term as vice president of the Board to the clipt there is no doubt. the grandson has already presented to New London audiences the noted mu-sicians that have visited this country. of Trade. He is a hustler, one of the kind that does much and says but lit-

It really seems as if George Francis Train was mistaken when he said that what was most needed was a dozen first class funerals, for in these latter day times it is demonstrated that the great need is more business men of Mr. Camebell's kind.

not always discreet in his sayings and doings.

After considerable agitation on the part of people and press the trolley company was induced to substitute a fifteen minute schedule for a twenty minute schedule. In order to do this it became necessary, of course, to make the trip in five minutes' less time, and to do this why the cars were sent along as faster speed. Hardly had the new schedule commenced when up rose certain citizens and registered their refusal to stop except at the white past stations, and because slow pastenters.

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## NORTH STONINGTON.

Fourth Quarterly Conference at M. E. Sunday,
Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Allyn, who Congregational Church Calls Rev. F. M. Hollister-Beriah Kenyon's Fu neral-Effort to Reach the Um-

> churched. Rev. C. A. Northrop of Norwich Town supplied the pulpit of the Congregational church Sunday and was the guest at dinner of Mrs. S. R.

> The Congregational church held a M. Hollister of Cromwell to become its pastor, Mr. Hollister has spent two Sundays here, making a pleasing

## impression as a preacher, and also personally. A favorable response is

Rev. Lucian Drury gave an address on Undeveloped Personal Talents at a conference in the Baptist church at Stonington Wednesday evening, the general topic under consideration be-ing the Undeveloped Resources of the Choureb.

Chuureh. The body of Beriah Kenyon, who died at the hospital for the insane at

# Norwich Monday, was brought to this town for burial Wednesday afternoon. Rev. Lucian Drury conducted the ser-

present to lead the singing and he al-so spoke. A similar service will be held at the same place next Tuesday

## Addressed Grange.

Prof. and Mrs. Charles A. Wheeler of Storrs each gave an address at the last meeting of the local grange. Those who were privileged to hear them speak in terms of high praise. Charles J. Newton of Cromwell has

been visiting his sister, Mrs. Choste S. Maine.
Miss Leonas C. Thompson, who is connected with the Brantwood Hall school at Bronxville, N. T., has been spending the week at her home here.

# BOZRAH.

Barn-Moving an Improvement-Local Guests at Yantic Anniversary.

Elishs Lathrop, with a number of men, has been moving the barn built near the Bozrah Center school house, about twenty-five years ago, to the back part of the lot. It is a great improvement to the place, and the school room is more light and pleas-

ant.

Mrs. Henry Hamilton spent Priday with Mrs. A. Gager.

A number attended the sixth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Harris of Yantic Wedneeday evening. The evening was spent in dancing. Sandwiches cake, ice cream and coffee were served during the evening.

# On Wednesday, Albert Balley of Scott Hill visited his son Jabes, who jives on L. B. Brockett's farm in Boz-rah, GARDNER LAKE.

Miss Ethel Champlin visited relawere served and a social sour enjoyed.

Village and Bluff Notes.

Misses Amelia and Susan Mathewson were visitors in Hartford Tuesday.

Frederick Richards of Norwich visited his father. Lyman Richards, at
Long Cove Tuesday.

Dr. Charles B. Graves and James D.

Misse Lthel Champlin visited relatives in Jewett City a few days ago.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Amburn of Lefmingwell visited local friends recently.

George Hoover has commenced work

Thomas Maine dug out seven young
foxes from under a ledge of rocks and

Mr. Hoonan of Brooklyn, N. Y.,

called on local friends a few days ago.